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Hague, May 1.

'THE Deputies of the States-General 'had on Saturday last a long Con- 'ference with the Earl of Strafford; 'in which his Excellency inſiſted 'earneſtly again for their High Mightineſſes taking a Reſolution to fit out a 'Squadron, in Conjunction with the Crowns of 'Great-Britain and France, to oblige the Parties 'at War in the North to a Ceſſation of Arms, in 'order to the ſettling Peace in thoſe Parts the 'more eaſily. But their High Mightineſſes ſeem 'to perſiſt in their Principle not to proceed by 'Way of Arms, but to content themſelves with 'employing their good Offices for accomodating 'thoſe Differences amicably: They propoſe like- 'wiſe that the Emperour ſhould be conferred with 'about it, as the maritime Potentates conſulted with 'him before the Concluſion of Peace with France; 'the rather becauſe his Imperial Majeſty being 'Head of the Empire, has a Right as well as In- 'tereſt to interpoſe in pacifying the Troubles in 'the Northern Part of the Empire, all the Princes 'at War there (except the Czar) being Members 'of the Germanick Body.

'The States finding there is no coming yet to a 'Concluſion of Peace with Spain, (that Crown 'laying ſuch Obſtacles in the Way as are here 'judged moſt unreaſonable, and in the mean while 'troubling the Subjects and Merchants of theſe 'Provinces in their Commerce,) have given Order 'to their Deputies to deliberate and take Meaſures 'with the Admiralties, for fitting out ſome Men of 'War and Privateers to make Reprizals on the 'Spaniards.

'We have Advice, that the Diet of the Empire 'have given the Emperour Power, to finiſh on 'their Part all the Affairs of Peace at Baden. In 'the mean while the Proteſtant Body have reſer- 'ved to themſelves the redreſſing the Grievances 'touching the Intereſts of their Religion, which 'received ſo much Prejudice by the 4th Article of 'the Peace of Ryſwick, the Abolition of which 'Article they abſolutely demand. Complaints of 'the Inſolences and Violences exerciſed by the 'Romiſh Clergy towards the Proteſtants of the 'Palatinate and Parts adjacent, multiply more and 'more; but there can be no Remedy, unleſs by 'the general Peace, which might eſtabliſh the 'Liberty of the Proteſtant Churches in Germany 'on the Foot of the Treaty of Weſtphalia. The 'worſt on't is, that ſince the Signing of the Trea- 'ty of Raſtad thoſe violent Innovations are com- 'mitted under Colour of the pretended Protecti- 'on of France even out of its own Dominions, and 'that the Romiſh Clergy affirm they have not on- 'ly Orders for what they do from the Court of 'France and from the Biſhop of Metz, but that 'they depend likewiſe on the military Aſſiſtance 'which the French Officers are authoriz'd to give 'them for depriving the Proteſtants of their 'Rights and legal Poſſeſſions.

'Tis adviſed from Hanover, that Mr. Harley 'had had an Audience there; but neither before 'nor ſince had notified his Arrival to the foreign 'Miniſters at that Court, to avoid, 'tis ſuppoſed, 'the Embarraſs of Viſits.

'Tis now talked, the Emperour is deſirous the 'States ſhould ſend a Miniſter to Vienna, to re- 'gulate their Barrier there; not caring to treat 'of that Affair in the Spaniſh Netherlands, much 'leſs at the Hague, leſt other Potentates ſhould 'thereby take Occaſion to intermeddle in it.

London, April 26.

On Saturday arrived a Mail from France.

From the Paris Letter, dated May 1.

Paris, May 1. Letters from Roſes of the 12th of laſt Month relate, that two Tartans were put in there belonging to a Convoy of 11, which came from the Coaſts of Rouſſillon with an armed Bark commanded by the Chevalier de Voiſin, and were bound for Mataro laden with Proviſions for the Spaniſh Army. The Barceloners make pub- lick Prayers for the Proſperity of their Arms, and give out that they will defend themſelves to the laſt Extremity, rather than ſurrender to the Duke de Popoli whom they mortally hate; but 'tis hoped they will not have the ſame Averſion to the Marſhal Duke of Berwick; beſides, there are in the Place a conſiderable Party for the King, who will not declare themſelves till Opportunity ſerves. The Conſul of Barcelona was gone to Majorca with Nebot and Villaroel, who are fallen out, for what Cauſe is not known. Several Families had likewiſe tranſported themſelves to Majorca, taking their Opportunity while our Ships of War were driven from before the Port by croſs Winds. O- ther Advices from Girone of the 16th tell us, that the Count de Fienne after having diſlodged the Rebels from Ripouil, ſettled Quarters for his Troops from that Town to Olot and Campredon in order to keep open a Communication with the Cerdaigne and the Plain of Vich: But having No- tice from Sig. de Bracamonte, that the Rebels were drawing together again at Congot on the Road from Vich to Barcelona, and that they be- gan to return into the Plain, he marched immedi- ately with the greateſt Part of his Troops to Roda on the Ter to cut off their Paſſage, while Sig. de Bracamonte marched to drive them before him, but on his Approach they ſaved themſelves among in- acceſſible Mountains; whereupon he contrived with the Count de Fienne to go and deſtroy the Villages of Arbucias and Monſenq whence they drew their Subſiſtance, while the Count ſhould guard the Paſſages to favour his Retreat. He marched firſt to Arbucias which the Rebels inſtant- ly abandoned, leaving there Abundance of Provi- ſions which he cauſed to be plundered, and then he cauſed the Village to be burnt, as alſo ſome others in the Neighbourhood, in which the two Walloon Battallions had been cut in Pieces. Theſe Letters are confirmed by thoſe from Madrid of the 16th, which add, that the Duke de Popoli had ſent another Detachment of 3000 Men, under the Command of the Marquis de Caylus, to reinforce the Troops under Sig. de Bracamonte and Gon- çalez, in order to reduce the ſooner the Rebels of the open Country. His Catholick Majeſty had made the Marquis de Mayorada Counſellor of State, Don Manuel Badillo Secretary-General of the Diſpatches, Don Tiberio Coſſio Governour and Captain-General of Guatimala in America, and given to Don Joſeph Grimaldo the Comman- derie of Rybeyra of the Order of St. Jago vacant by the Death of Count Mahoni. The Infante Don Philipe had been indiſpoſed, but was much better. The 23d paſt the Cardinal de Noailles celebrated ſolemnly the firſt Maſs on the new Altar which the King has cauſed to be erected in the Choir of our Cathedral, and his Eminency has ſettled 6000 Livres for the celebrating annually on the ſame Day of the Month a ſolemn Maſs on that Altar, agreeably to the King's Intention. 'Tis ſaid the Cardinal del Giudice is about to take on him the Quality of Ambaſſador extraordinary of Spain.

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Tho. Lant, Esq; and Sam. Rush, Esq; stand Candidates for the Borough of Southwark at the next Election.

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On Saturday South-Sea Stock was 85 five eights to 86. Bank 119 to 119 one half. India 120 one quarter to 120 three quarters. African 43 one half.

A Letter dated April 23d 1714. and subscribed No 17. was put into the Penny-Post Saturday Morning April 24. directed to the Lord Treasurer: If the Person who wrote that Letter will do what he proposes therein, he may be assured of having what he demands made good to him.

At the Desire of several Ladies of Quality.
For the Benefit of Mr. Keene.
By Her Majesty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre-Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Monday, being the 26th of April, will be presented the True and Ancient History of King Lear, and his Three Daughters. The Part of King Lear by Mr. Booth, Edgar Mr. Wilks, Glotter Mr. Cibber, Kent Mr. Keene, Bastard Mr. Mills, Gentleman-Usher Mr. Pinkethman, Cordelia Mrs. Bradshaw, and all the other Parts to the best Advantage. And to-morrow will be presented a new Comedy (never Acted before) call'd, The Wonder: A Woman keeps a Secret.

For the Benefit of Signora Lodi and Mr. Corbet.

At Mr. Hickford's Great Dancing-Room over-against the Tennis-Court in St. James's-street near the Hay-Market, on Wednesday next, being the 28th of this Instant April, will be performed a Consort of Vocal and Instrumental Musick; a Solo of Corelli's by Mr. Corbet, with variety of Pieces on the Echo Flute, Hautboy, German Flute, Trumpet, with a new Cantata; a Solo for the Harpsichord: All performed by the best Masters. Tickets to be had at Mr. Bowman's Chocolate-house in Bridges-Street, Covent-Garden, at Mrs. Rice's Coffee-house in the Hay-Market, and at the Door, at 5 s. each. To begin exactly at Eight of the Clock.

Whereas John Blimston late of Upwood in the County of Huntingdon, dyed lately, Seized of a Real Estate, leaving no Issue, and had a Brother Jonathan who was a Soldier, after married a Widow in London by whom it's said he had Children, who (if any) are Entituled to his Estate: His Grandfather was a Yorkshire-Man. They may hear further of this Matter, if they Enquire of Mr. Pocklington at the Crown-Office in the Temple.

Lost on the 15th of April, a middle-siz'd plain Gold Watch, with a Brass Chain gilt, and a Triangular Steel Seal, on one Side of the Seal is a Creft which is a Demi-Cockatrice. The Watch hath a Gold Case, and is made by a Watchmaker in Cambridge. If the Watch is deliver'd to Mr. Barnes, Goldsmith, by Ludgate, he will on the receipt of the Watch pay the Bearer 5 Guineas Reward, without asking any Questions.

Whereas a Black Letter-Case with a Brass Clasp was lost on Saturday last (between Lombard-street and Threadneedle-street) with a Letter directed to Mr. Samuel Baker, Merchant, in London, and in the said Letter a Note under the Hand of Arth. Waldsworth for 24 l. (whereof Payment is stopt,) and several other Papers, of no Use but to the Owner. Whoever has found the said Letter-Case &c. and will bring them to Cole's Coffee-house in Birchin-lane, shall have 3 s. Reward, (and no Questions asked;) which is all will be ever offer'd for the same.

An Apothecary in the City wants an Apprentice, well recommended; Enquiry to be made at Mr. Strain's, a Chymist, in Fenchurch-street, near Aldgate.

The next Presentation to a Living on the North Side of Trent, of One hundred Pounds per Annum and upwards, (the Incumbent about 30 Years old,) in a Cheap and Healthful Part of the Country, is to be disposed of at a Reasonable Rate. Enquire of Mr. Place, Stationer, at Furnival's-Inn Gate, London.

A large Convenient House and Shop in Cornhill near the Royal Exchange, on the same Side of the Way, to be Lett at Michaelmas next. Inquire of Mr. Lockyer in St. George's-Court on the Banneret's Hill, Doctor's-Commons.

The fine Pictures and Hangings brought from Rothwell in Kent, that was belonging to the late Earl of Winchelsea, deceas'd, together with the Household-Goods, that was intended to be sold by Auction, on Tuesday the 27th Instant, at the large House, the Corner of St. James's-street, over-against St. James's-Palace, is now put off by Order of the House of Lords, till a Tryal depending before them is decided; after which time publick Notice will be given of the Sale of the aforesaid Pictures, and continue to be viewed daily till the time of Sale.

Bibliotheca Postlethwaitiana: Being a Catalogue of the Library of the late Reverend Mr. Postlethwait, Chief Master of St. Paul's School; containing a Collection of many very valuable and uncommon Books in Greek, Latin, and Oriental Languages, also Classick Authors, printed by Aldus, Vascosan, Rob. and Hen. Stephens, and other eminent Printers. (Beginning Page 57. N° 647. English Octavo. Libri Omissi, will be all sold this Evening, the Sale concluding.) Which will be sold by Auction at St. Paul's Coffee-house in St. Paul's Church-Yard, this Day the 26th Instant, beginning at 4 a Clock in the Afternoon, designing to sell by Day-light. By Tho. Ballard, Bookseller, at the Rising Sun in Little-Britain. Where Catalogues may be had, also at Mr. Brown's at Exeter-Exchange, W. Mears, and J. Brown at Temple-Bar, Mr. Stanbope Breholt the Mews-Gate, Mr. Woodward's in Fleetstreet, Mr. Innys in St. Paul's Church Yard, Mr. Crouch in Cornhill, Booksellers, and at the Place of Sale.

A Curious Collection of Pictures, will be sold by Auction, this Day the 26th Instant, at Tom's Coffee-house in St. Martin's-lane. The Sale to begin exactly at 4. The Pictures may be seen this Day. Catalogues are to be had at the Place of Sale, and at James Lewis's Bookseller, at the Golden-Eagle near the Fountain-Tavern in the Strand.

Several Messuages and Tenements, Situate in the Parish of Shadwell, in the County of Middlesex, containing 265 Foot in Front, next Ratcliff-High Way, and 404 Foot in Depth, next King David's-Lane, and several other Tenements thereunto belonging, now in Lease to John Thomas, Esquire; To be Lett by the Worshipful Company of Mercers, London, from Michaelmas next, when the present Lease expires. Further Information may be had at the said Company's Hall in Cheapside, London.

Selecta Joannis Ker, Med. Doct. *Bibliotheca.* Containing a very curious Collection of Poets, Orators, Historians, &c. in Greek, Latin and French. Also several Classic Authors, printed by Aldus, Robert and Henry Stephens, Gryphius, Plantin, Old Elzevir, and other eminent Printers; with several publish'd in Usum Delph. at Paris. To be Sold by Auction at the King's-Head-Tavern, over-against Gray's-Inn in Holborn, this Day the 26th Instant, beginning at 5 in the Afternoon. By Fletcher Gyles, Bookseller. [Beginning at Page 13. Number 1. Philologici, Quarto.] Catalogues sold for 6 d. each, at Mr. Bateman's in Pater Noster-Row; Mr. Crowe's at Temple-Bar; Mr. Varenne's in the Strand; Mr. Lewis's in Russel-street, Covent Garden; Mr. King's in Westminster-Hall; Mr. Nutt's in Cornhill Booksellers; and at the Place of Sale.

Mr. Cornelius Vandevelde, Painter, being now in Holland, intending to fix himself there, his fine Collection of Original Pictures by some of the most Eminent Masters, among which are several of his Fathers and his own Painting, will be sold by way of Auction, at his Lodgings, being the 2 Black-Posts, in Kings-street, Bloomsbury, near the Square, on Thursday next the 29th Instant. The Pictures may be seen to-morrow the 27th, Wednesday the 28th, and Thursday till the time of Sale, which will begin at 11 a Clock in the Forenoon precisely. In which Sale all Persons may be assur'd of Candor and upright Practices. N. B. There is a Back-Door in King's gate-street, next to King's-street Chocolate-House.

For SALE by the CANDLE.

On Thursday the 29th Instant, at Lloyd's Coffee-house in Lombard-street, at 5 a Clock in the Afternoon, (only 1 Cask of French Brandy, or Wine, in a Lott,) viz. 12 Half Pipes of excellent French old Cognac brandy, full proof, of the fine true flavour, and genuine, (having paid 61. and 8 d. per Gallon Excise and Customs,) in a Cellar under the House of Mr. Bowden in Nicholas-lane in Lombard-street. 29 Pipes of excellent new White Anadea Wines, racked in Portugal, of a fine flavour, neat, an entire parcel, landed last Saturday; now in a Ware house in the middle of the Gateway of Wiggan-Key, between Billingsgate and the Custom-house. 18 Pipes and 4 Hhds of very good Red Wine, fine, for draught; in a Vault about the middle of the Gateway of French-Ordinary-Court in Crowshod-Fryars. 12 Butts of excellent new Red Alicant Wines, very deep, bright, strong and fresh, and 2 Hhds of new White Alicant wines, very strong and neat, an entire parcel, just landed; now in a Cellar in the Gateway of Freth-Wharf, between London-Bridge and Billingsgate. And 24 Butts of excellent new Sherry Wines, racked in Spain, neat, and just landed; now in a Cellar (fronting the Thames) at Galley-Key, between the Custom house and Tower-Dock. All to be seen and tasted to-Morrow and Wednesday, from 8 to 1, and from 2 to 6, and all Thursday, (as above,) till the time of Sale. To be Sold by Tho. Tomkins, Broker, in Scething-Lane in Tower street.

A Catalogue of the Library of a late Reverend and Learned Divine; consisting of a curious Collection of Divinity, History, Philology, &c. in Greek, Latin, and English. Also several Classick Authors, printed by Robert and Henry Stephens, Gryphius, Plantin, old Elzevir, and other eminent Printers, with several of the Paris Editions in usum Delph. & Notis Variorum. Which will begin to be sold the fair Way, (the Price being put in each Book) at Paul's-Head Coffee-House without Temple-Bar, on Thursday the 29th Instant, at 8 a-Clock in the Morning: The Sale to continue two Days and no longer. N. B. The Books are generally well Bound, Gilt, and Lettered, and may be viewed to-Morrow and Wednesday before the Sale. Catalogues may be had of Mr. Stokoe against the Mews-Gate, Mr. Brown at Exeter-Exchange and Temple-Bar, Mr. Innys in St. Paul's Church-Yard, Mr. Crouch in Cornhill, Booksellers, and at the Place of Sale.

To be Sold by AUCTION.

On Thursday the 29th Instant, all the Household-Goods and fine Pictures, with a Parcel of Linnen and Books, and all sorts of Household Goods; being part of the Goods of Daniel Bradle, Esq deceas'd, and another eminent Merchant; at a great House in Leaden-Hall-street over-against Lime-street-end, next Door to the Spread-Eagle. The Goods to be seen and Catalogues had at the said House this Day, to-Morrow, and Wednesday. The Sale to begin at One a Clock precisely. Note. The House is to be Lett.

On Thursday the 29th Instant, at the great Room in the Little Piazza, Covent-Garden, lately Punch's Theatre, will be exposed to Sale by Auction, a fine Collection of Vocal and Instrumental Musick, and Musical Instruments; being the Collection of a Gentleman lately deceased. The Musick and Instruments to be viewed this Day, to-Morrow, Wednesday, and Thursday before the sale, which will begin exactly at 11 in the Forenoon. The Conditions of Sale as usual. N. B. The Musick and Instruments to be taken away by Saturday-Night. Catalogues to be had at the Place of Sale, and at Nando's Coffee-house.

To be Sold by AUCTION,

On Tuesday the 4th of May next, the House-hold-Goods and rich Furniture, with a large Collection of fine Pictures, being the Goods of a Person of Quality lately deceas'd, brought out of the Country into Arlington-street, St. James's; Consisting of fine fresh Damask, Mohair, Cloth, wrought Work and Camlet Beds, Window-Curtains, Chairs and Cushions to the same, with Downe and Feather Bedding, all Compleat; fine Tapistry-Hangings, large Peer and Chimney Glasses, with Sconces, Indian Cabinets, large Chests, Screens, Tea-Tables and Corner Cupboards, Desks, Card-Tables and Chairs, one a very fine Curious Tuning and Repeating in a Glass Case; fine Marble Tables and gilt Frames with fine Carved Work; large and small Carpets; with a Parcel of Curious Arms and Nets for Sport; a Collection of very fine Medals; a Gold Watch, Hook and Chain the same; a fine Harpsichord and Spinnet, Originals, by Floyd; a fresh Sedan; some Plate; with variety of China Ware of all sorts, and Linnen; Stove-Grates, Hearths, and all sorts of Kitchen Furniture. The Goods and Pictures to be seen this Day, and continue to show till the Day of Sale. Catalogues may be had at the Place of Sale. Note, The House is to be Lett.

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